

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

The text of all pending claims, (including withdrawn claims) is set forth below. Cancelled and not entered claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~striketrough~~. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (cancelled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously presented), or (not entered).

Please CANCEL claims 1 and 3, and AMEND claims 2, 4 and 5 in accordance with the following:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended)      A refrigerator, comprising:  
doors for opening or closing storage chambers;  
door handles respectively provided at the doors;  
buffer members of an elastic material respectively provided for the door handles to make  
good tactile sensations when gripping the door handles; and  
deviating prevention members for preventing the buffer members from being deviated  
from the door handles~~The refrigerator according to claim 1,~~  
wherein each of the door handles comprises:  
    a fixing portion fixed to a free end of the door;  
    a front extension, which extends in a front direction of the door from the fixing  
portion; and  
    a side extension, which is bent to be coplanar with a front~~extend from an end of~~  
~~the front extension to a center of rotation of the door; and,~~  
    wherein an end of the side extension is bent inward to form an insertion groove  
~~formed at an inner surface of the side extension for inserting the buffer member and the~~  
~~deviating prevention member,~~  
    the door handle and the insertion groove extend vertically along a lengthwise direction of  
the door,  
    the buffer member is vertically elongated along the lengthwise direction of the  
doors, and  
    the deviating prevention member is provided to support one or more ends of  
opposite ends of the buffer member.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Currently Amended) The refrigerator according to claim 32, wherein the buffer member is formed with an uneven portion for preventing slippage on an outer surface thereof to be gripped by the user.

5. (Currently Amended) The refrigerator according to claim 32, wherein the deviating prevention member is provided with a fixing protrusion for fixing the deviating prevention member to the insertion groove, and the side extension member is formed with a fixing groove to ~~be inserted by~~receive the fixing protrusion.

6. (Original) The refrigerator according to claim 5, wherein the deviating prevention member is slidably supported, at opposite sides thereof, in the insertion groove, and provided, at a center thereof, with an elastic deformation portion, which deforms such that the fixing protrusion can be vertically varied.

7. (Original) The refrigerator according to claim 6, wherein the deviating prevention member is provided with an uneven portion such that the deviating prevention member has the same outer surface as that of the uneven portion of the buffer member.